

InSEA Doctoral Research Award in Art Education

Nominations and supporting materials must be submitted to the Chair of the InSEA Research and Praxis Board: vice-president.mira@insea.org

Deadline for Applications: **June 1, 2024.**

The International Society for Education through Art Doctoral Research Award seeks to recognise an outstanding doctoral thesis in art education. The field of research in art education is rich and diverse and the term 'art education' should be interpreted broadly to include, for example, multimedia, practice-based inquiry in formal, nonformal and informal sectors, although must be predominantly research in visual arts. Submissions for this award must reflect inquiry that extends a significant line of research, addresses an issue that has been neglected in the field, fills a gap in current knowledge, or raises significant questions about existent knowledge in art education. In addition, awardees should be engaged in studying problems or questions that are timely and that contribute to current policy debates or dilemmas of practice. The scholar's body of work must be characterised by empirical rigour and coherence and must hold the potential to contribute significantly to scholarship in the field of art education.

The Art Doctoral Research Award has no restrictions on language (nomination material needs to be in English). This award will recognize a dissertation of exemplary conceptual, methodological, and literary quality that has been completed (i.e. successfully defended) between September 2020 and December 2023. Please note that the nominator and the nominee must be InSEA members at the time of the nomination. A dissertation may be submitted for consideration of the award once only. The award will be officially presented during the next InSEA congress, and the award winner will receive complimentary registration. Participation to the congress is not mandatory as the award session will be delivered as a hybrid format. The dissertation will be widely promoted by InSEA. The winner will be encouraged to make a presentation at the congress (online or in-person).

How to apply

InSEA members wishing to be considered for the InSEA Doctoral Research Award should be nominated by another InSEA member. Nomination materials should be written in English and must include the following: 1. A candidate statement/ summary of the study including abstract and keywords that outlines the unique contribution the study makes to art education. Candidates should present their case as lucidly as possible and may include, for example, visual, audio or multimedia material. However, the written case should be no less than 2,000 and no more than 3,000 words (excluding references). 2. The summary should be in APA format in 12-point font, author name should be masked. Appendices must be kept to a practical minimum, for example, artwork or multimedia material. 3. Statement by supervisor detailing the date of the successful dissertation defence. 4. Candidate's CV – maximum of four pages. 5. Submissions should be made electronically. All materials and any questions or inquiries should be sent to: Dr. Mira Kallio-Tavin, Chair of the Research and Praxis Board: vice-president.mira@insea.org

